

## Senate Resolution 340

By: Senators Moody of the 56th, Brown of the 26th, Hooks of the 14th and Williams of the 19th

**ADOPTED SENATE****A RESOLUTION**

1 Creating the Senate Study Committee on State Boards, Commissions, Authorities, Councils,  
2 and Committees; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, a study should be undertaken of the boards, commissions, authorities, councils,  
4 and committees currently in existence under Georgia law; and

5 WHEREAS, there should be a review of those boards, commissions, authorities, councils,  
6 and committees with an eye toward increasing efficiency, using taxpayer dollars effectively,  
7 and ensuring boards, commissions, authorities, councils, and committees are performing their  
8 assigned tasks.

9 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that there is created the Senate  
10 Study Committee on State Boards, Commissions, Authorities, Councils, and Committees to  
11 be composed of three members of the Senate to be appointed by the Lieutenant Governor.  
12 The Lieutenant Governor shall designate a member of the Senate as chairperson of the  
13 committee. The committee shall meet at the call of the chairperson.

14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the committee shall undertake a study of the issues  
15 discussed above and other related matters and recommend any action or legislation which  
16 the committee deems necessary or appropriate. The committee may conduct such meetings  
17 at such places and at such times as it may deem necessary or convenient to enable it to  
18 exercise fully and effectively its powers, perform its duties, and accomplish the objectives  
19 and purposes of this resolution. The members of the committee shall receive the allowances  
20 provided for in Code Section 28-1-8 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated. The  
21 allowances authorized by this resolution shall not be received by any member of the  
22 committee for more than five days unless additional days are authorized. The funds  
23 necessary to carry out the provisions of this resolution shall come from the funds  
24 appropriated to the Senate. In the event the committee makes a report of its findings and  
25 recommendations, with suggestions for proposed legislation, if any, such report shall be

1 made on or before December 31, 2007. The committee shall stand abolished on December  
2 31, 2007.